GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1687
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Maharajganj-Mashrakh Rail Line
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the status of Maharajganj-Mashrakh rail line project and the time by which the said project is likely to be completed;

(b) the initial budget earmarked for the said project and the total expenditure determined for this project at present;

(c) the details of funds spent so far and the extent to which the work of the project has been completed;

(d) whether the Government proposes to take concrete steps to expedite the said work; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (e): Construction of Maharajganj-Masrakh (36 km) new line has been taken up at an anticipated cost of ` 343 crore. An expenditure of ` 215 crore has incurred upto March, 2015. The project has suffered in the past primarily on account of insufficient funds allotment. The project has been fast tracked by increasing the outlay to ` 60 crore in 2015-16 against the allocation of ` 22 crore in 2014-15 & ` 20 crore in 2013-14 and the project is now at an advance stage of completion.
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